

CITY COUNCIL HONORS FRED

At the close of its regular meeting on
 May 21, 2001,
 the City Council of the City of Mission Viejo
 adjourned in memory of

Fred Buckhalter

On behalf of the City Council
 and the citizens of the City of Mission Viejo,
 may I express our deepest sympathy.

William S. Craycraft
 William S. Craycraft, Mayor

**INTERACT CLUB LOOKING FOR
 NEW PLACE TO MEET**



**CAN NO LONGER MEET AT
 MISSION VIEJO HIGH SCHOOL**

Interact Coordinator, Bob McQueen announced that because of the recent policy change in the Saddleback Valley School District policy on non-academic clubs, our Interact Club must now meet outside the school premises.

The recent Supreme Court ruling allowing religious clubs to be allowed to meet at schools which allow non-academic clubs to meet, prompted the action rather than face a law suit by one certain group.

The district now only allows academic clubs to meet within the school premises of any school in the district.

Our Interact Club, just prior to the ruling had elected a new board of directors and new officers for the coming year.

They are now searching out a place which would be walking distance from the school so that they can continue to meet during their lunch hour.

ANNUAL HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS GIVEN BY ROTARY

Bob McQueen, Scholarship Director for the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo announced that the club has presented its Annual Scholarship Awards to High School Students. The students are annually selected from Mission Viejo High School, Silverado High School and Trabuco Hills High School. The awards are given to two students from each school and amount to \$350.00 each. Staff members from each school make the selection based on the Rotary clubs criteria. One award is for academic achievement and the other is for community service. The funds are to be used for their college education. Each year members of the club make the presentation at each of the high schools.

At our meeting on June 26, 2001 three scholarship recipients were able to attend and spoke to us about their college plans:



Stacy Schmidtbauer
 Trabuco Hills High School



Emily Beck
 Mission Viejo High School



Brian Bushway
 Mission Viejo High School

**Mission Viejo Club Board Meeting June 13, 2001
 CLUB SERVICE**

Bill indicated that the Club's goal for the 2001-2002 year is one new member per month. Club members sponsoring a new member will receive a special Eagle pin. Bill showed the Board an example of a bar chart he had developed concerning membership changes and spoke of creating additional charts and visuals showing the Club's progress in meeting the membership goal. Bill also spoke of creating similar visuals concerning charitable contributions and donations to the Club.

International Service Project Deaf India: George Cooper suggested that we review the \$500 amount budgeted for Project Deaf India and suggested transferring the money to another charity. George indicated that the reason for withdrawing the Club's support is because Project Deaf India has been successful in receiving support from several other sources. George's motion was made and seconded to allocate \$300 to Community Service and \$200 to Disaster Relief. The Corazon project was also discussed and it was decided to leave the project in the budget to be reviewed later.

Fred Buckhalter/Doc Wiggins Memorial Fund

George Cooper made a motion to move the cash donated to the Club for the Fred Buckhalter/Doc Wiggins Memorial Fund directly into the Fund. The motion was seconded and approved unanimously by the board.

BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 7/1/01-6/30/02

Bill Kersten presented the proposed budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2001 to June 30, 2002. Before going over details included in the budget, Jack Wallace, Treasurer, indicated that the budget did not currently include money received from Escrip. Bill Kersten said that the budget was in draft form but would be revised to include the Escrip money as well as other changes before it was finalized. Bill said that members should be encouraged to participate in the Escrip program and that is an easy way to raise money for the Club. Bill also said that the annual renewal cost for Escrip is \$10 per person.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Prayer Breakfast: Ross Boling reported that the Mission Viejo Country Club had prepared contracts which needed to be signed by the Rotary Club for the Prayer Breakfast and for the Christmas Party. The Prayer Breakfast will be held on May 2, 2001 and Ross reported that the Country Club is raising the price for the Prayer Breakfast from \$7 per person to \$9 per person. In response to the price increase, it was proposed that the Rotary Club's ticket price be raised to \$12 per person. It was also suggested that the Club distribute tickets early. Ross also reported that the Country Club's price for the Christmas Party, to be held on December 16, 2001, will be \$25 per person, with a guarantee of 40 people.

FUNDRAISER PROPOSAL

Roger Rustad, Director of Development for Vocational Visions and a member of the Laguna Niguel Rotary Club, made a presentation to the Board requesting sponsorship for two upcoming fund-raising events. Vocational Visions is a non-profit organization located in Mission Viejo which provides services for people with developmental and other disabilities. The first fund raiser is a Bowl-A-Thon to be held at Saddleback Lanes on September 8, 2001. The other fund raising event will feature the Drifters to be held on Sunday, October 28, 2001, at the Galaxy Concert Theatre. Roger indicated that the Laguna Niguel Rotary Club Board was meeting that day (Wednesday) to consider sponsoring the Bowl-A-Thon. Roger suggested that the Mission Viejo Rotary Club co-sponsor either one or both of the events with the Laguna Niguel Rotary Club.

Proposal is being referred to next year's Fundraising Director, PP Jack Keegan.

This was a joint meeting of the new board with the outgoing board. Present were: Ed Heeren, George Cooper, Bill Kersten, Kathy Haze, Jack Wallace, Bob Germeroth, Marilyn Philabaum, Ross Boling

WEEKLY PROGRAMS

- July 3 - New Member Craft Talks
- July 10 - Erwin Hatzler - Esperanza Supported Employment for Developmentally Disabled
- July 24 - Mac McAdam - Newport Balboa Rotary Club Group Study Exchange experience to Australia
- July 31 - District Governor Rod Eide

SPECIAL EVENTS

July 4th FOURTH OF JULY STREET FAIRE

Club Demotion Dinner

Sunday July 8th, from 6:00 pm to 9:30 pm.

Valentinos, same restaurant as last year. This

should be fun, the cost will be \$35 per person, including choice of entree, gratuity and tax.

WHITE ELEPHANT

- July 3 Ed Heeren July 10 Jack Keegan
- July 17 Bill Kersten July 24 Christine Joens
- July 31 Dave Leckness

Next Board Meeting Wednesday July 11, 2001

FOURTH OF JULY STREET FAIRE SCHEDULE

| Shift | Rootbeer | Lemonade | Ben & Jerry |
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| 9:45am-2pm and Set-up | Ed Heeren V Heeren Bob Bridges | R. McQueen V Avery M Philabaum Terry Vuozzo | Aaron Sako John Raisin |
| 2pm-6pm | R Germeroth G Cooper Jim Garcia Robin Holtz | Norm Miller Don Wile Pam Wile | R Paradzick Paul Holtz Bob Duffy |
| 6pm-10pm | Jack Keegan Johann Keegan D. O'Connor | R Germeroth Bill Kersten Carol Kersten | Scott Walker Jim Garcia |

Chairman: Len White

WE NEED MORE YOUNG PEOPLE IN OUR CLUB. THEY ARE THE PLANNERS AND DOERS OF TODAY AND OF OUR IMMEDIATE TOMORROW!!!

-Rotary Guru